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Wound care and closure require deep understanding of anatomy, skin and soft tissue physiology and pathology and of the tightly coordinated regenerative responses that are involved in the healing process and their pathologies, as well as recognizing the importance of nutritional support, infection control, the mechanical forces in the wound environment, the correct implementation of a variety of surgical techniques, of appropriate nursing and wound care and of rehabilitative measures. All are important elements, making the optimization of wound healing and scar control achievable only through an interdisciplinary approach.

In this Special Issue in "*Life*" we aim to encourage interdisciplinary sharing of recent insights and progress in the abovementioned fields of expertise in hope for cross-fertilization of knowledge and ideas and in an attempt to humbly contribute to the evolution of a multidisciplinary networking and interdisciplinary collaboration, which are pivotal for expanding our understanding of the different aspects of skin and soft tissue healing and in the continual strive for a functionally and esthetically pleasing outcome.



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